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Re: Application of Peter WIEDENBERG
METHOD FOR AUTOMATICALLY CREATING AT LEAST ONE DIALOG
BOX ON AN OPERATOR INTERFACE OF A COMPUTER USER STATION
Assignee: SIEMENS AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT
Our Ref. Q78997

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising nine (9) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, and one (1) sheet of drawings. **Copies of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, Assignment and Information Disclosure Statement will be submitted at a later date.**

The present application is being filed as a Continuation Application, under 35 U.S.C. § 111 (a) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.53, of International Application PCT/DE02/02764, filed July 26, 2002, in accordance with the procedures outlined in Sections 1895 et seq. of the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure. To facilitate the Examiner's review, Applicants are submitting herewith a copy of the Cover Page of the published International Application.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>10</u> - 20	=	<u> </u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
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A check for the statutory filing fee of \$770.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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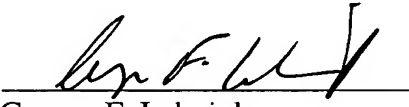
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The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Since the anniversary of the priority date fell on a Sunday, the filing of this application on Monday, February 9, 2004, is sufficient to obtain the benefit of priority.

Respectfully submitted,
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